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## **CALTRANS BEGINS WORK ON TWO SAFETY PROJECTS IN THE NORTH COUNTY**

**PASO ROBLES** –Caltrans will begin a project next week to install safety lights at the intersection of Hwy. 46 east and Union Road in Paso Robles.

The lights will be located in each corner of the intersection. The work will begin March 13 and is expected to end by March 30. There will be one-way traffic control with flaggers as work crews perform the job of digging trenches.

In addition, the northbound Hwy. 101 off- ramp at Santa Rosa Street in Atascadero will receive a new metal beam guardrail. The work is underway and is scheduled to be completed March 22. Traffic will not be impacted as a result of the work. The two safety projects will cost \$130,000 to complete.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm>





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